

# The BROAD AX

HEW TO THE LINE; LET THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY

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## Hon. John M. Harlan, With the Aid of The Broad Ax, Out Ran Mayor William Hale Thompson in Chicago and Cook County for Delegate-at-Large to the Republican National Convention.

**THE DENEEN-WEST-BRUNDAGE COMBINATION DEFEATED HIS HONOR THE MAYOR IN TWENTY OUT OF THIRTY-FIVE WARDS GIVING THAT COMBINATION CONTROL OF THE COUNTY COMMITTEE ENABLING IT TO NAME THE COUNTY TICKET THIS COMING FALL.**

**NOTWITHSTANDING THE FACT THAT GOV. DENEEN FELL ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE BREAST WORKS IN HIS HOME WARD—THE 31ST WARD—HE AND HIS FRIENDS WILL STILL BE IN ABSOLUTE CONTROL OF THE REPUBLICAN MACHINE THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.**

**HON. ROGER C. SULLIVAN AND HIS WING OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY ROUTED FORMER MAYOR CARTER H. HARRISON AND HIS FOLLOWERS AND SUPPORTERS AND MR. SULLIVAN WILL STILL BE THE HEAD CHIEF OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THIS CITY AND IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.**

**ROBERT E. BURKE, ROBERT M. SWEITZER, HON. MICHAEL ZIMMER, HON. ROGER C. SULLIVAN WILL HEAD THE DELEGATES AT LARGE TO THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.**

**HON. WILLIAM H. WEBER IS MORE THAN LIKELY TO BECOME THE NEW CHAIRMAN OF THE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE OF COOK COUNTY.**

**HON. ISAAC M. POWELL AFTER A HOT SCRAP WON OUT FOR WARD COMMITTEEMAN OF THE SEVENTH WARD.**

**HONS. MARTIN B. MADDEN AND GEORGE F. HARDING WERE ELECTED DELEGATES TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION WITHOUT ANY TROUBLE ON THEIR HANDS FROM THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.**

**THOMAS J. HEALY AFTER AN EXCITING CONTEST DEFEATED JAMES W. BREEN FOR COMMITTEEMAN OF THE THIRTIETH WARD.**

**STATE SENATOR RICHARD J. BARE OF JOLIET BECOMES A LIVE OR AN ACTIVE CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF ILLINOIS.**

**COL. FRANK O. LOWDEN WHEELS IN LINE FOR THE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS.**

Tuesday, April 11, 1916, will long be remembered by many of the most powerful as well as by the gutter snipe or the small fry politicians in this city, the State of Illinois and throughout the United States for all in all it was a day in which many of them, went down to their everlasting political defeat and many new ones sprang into their places, who will for a very brief period successfully ride on the political wave and then they will be forced aside to make room for others who will occupy the high places of honor and thus the world moves or runs on regardless of the likes or the dislikes of the politicians.

It was indeed very astonishing or surprising to all the politicians and would-be statesmen in this city and throughout the State of Illinois, when the returns began to roll in Tuesday evening and early Wednesday morning to learn that with the aid of The Broad Ax, the Hon. John M. Harlan outran Mayor William Hale Thompson in this city and county and came within an ace of putting him out of the running in the State of Illinois for delegate at large to the Republican National Convention.

This is indeed very remarkable when we take into consideration the fact that one short year ago the Hon. William Hale Thompson was elected Mayor of this city with one hundred and forty-seven thousand majority at his back—that more than one hundred thousand milk and water Democrats, composing the bread and butter brigade of former Mayor Carter H. Harrison, greatly assisted to boost Mayor Thompson into the City Hall and it must be perfectly evident even to those who are unable to run and read the signs of the times; that Mayor Thompson is not near as popular now as he was one short year ago.

There is only one way left open for Mayor Thompson to regain the full confidence of those who freely voted for him one year ago and of those who failed to vote for him and that is to let the politicians alone, refrain from attempting to build up or construct a personal political machine and make an honest effort to earn the eighteen thousand dollars a year salary which the taxpayers of this city are paying him

over and State Senator Richard J. Barr of Joliet who is very popular in his home town and in all parts of this state has become an active candidate for the Republican nomination for Attorney-General of Illinois and he expects to be in the running until the state-wide primary day September 13, and Senator Barr, feels that the gods are more than favorable to his nomination and election.

Col. Frank O. Lowden wheels in line for the Republican nomination for Governor of Illinois and from now until the September primaries he will use all honorable methods to secure the nomination. See his announcement in another column of this paper.

**DOCTOR U. GRANT DAILEY, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL MEDICAL ASSOCIATION VISITS TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA AND ATTENDS SESSIONS OF THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION OF THAT STATE.**

Dr. U. Grant Dailey, who was recently united in marriage to Miss Eleanor Curtis, the highly accomplished sister of Dr. A. M. Curtis of Washington, D. C. the wedding being one of the most brilliant ever held in that city; spent this week at Tuskegee Institute, Alabama.

Dr. Dailey is the highly honored and progressive President of the National Medical Association. He is attending the twentieth annual meeting of the Alabama Medical and Pharmaceutical Association in conjunction with the Third Bi-Annual meeting of the Tri-State Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association which held its sessions at Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Dr. Dailey, during the sessions, read several very highly instructive papers on Advance Surgery, diseases of the Chorion, with special reference to Chorionic tumors. He also displayed his great medical ability by giving clinics. He and Dr. L. W. Johnson, member of the Alabama State Board of Health, were the two most distinguished M. D.'s present and carried off all the high honors belonging to them.

Dr. Dailey returned home this morning from his delightful trip to Tuskegee.

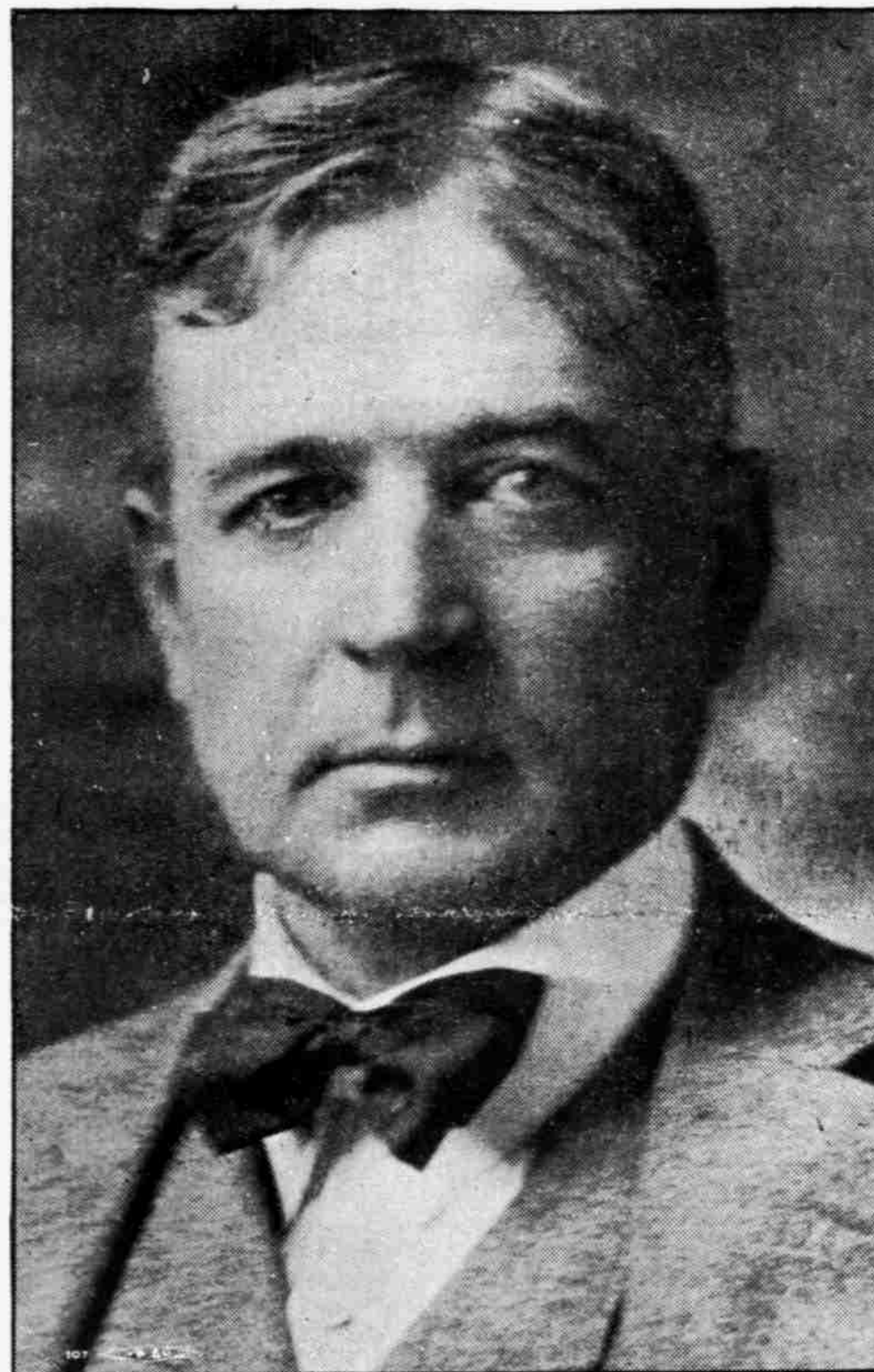
**THE REV. HONORABLE ARCHIBALD JAMES CAREY, PH. D. D. D. SHOULD NOT BE ELECTED ONE OF THE BISHOPS OF THE A. M. E. CHURCH.**

The Twin City Star which is published in St. Paul, Minn., and several other newspapers which are published in the interest of the Colored race throughout the country, are wasting their ink and white paper in puffing or boosting the Rev. Hon. Archibald James Carey, Ph. D. D. D. up for Bishop of the A. M. E. Church; the conference meeting in Philadelphia, Pa., early this coming May.

It will be recalled that the Rev. Hon. Archibald James Carey, Ph. D. D. D. was a candidate for Bishop at the annual conference held in Kansas City, Mo., in 1912; that the great majority of the delegates attending that conference solidly voted against him for Bishop for they did not feel that he was the right man for that position and as he is more of a ranting rattled brain politician than a safe, sound and sane preacher, he should again be defeated in his efforts to become one of the Bishops at the Philadelphia conference.

**JULIUS F. TAYLOR TO SPEAK ON THE "POWER AND INFLUENCE OF THE PRESS."**

This coming Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the meeting of the Phyllis Wheatley Woman's Club, 3256 Rhodes ave., Julius F. Taylor will talk for fifteen or twenty minutes on the "Power and Influence of the Press."



**COL. FRANK O. LOWDEN**  
Republican candidate for the nomination for Governor of Illinois to be voted at the state wide primaries this coming September.

**COL. FRANK O. LOWDEN BECOMES AN ACTIVE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR THE NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS. HE WILL NOT TAKE PART IN ANY LOCAL FACTIONAL CONTEST IN ANY PART OF THIS STATE. THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.**

Chicago, April 12, 1916.

"At the State Fair last September I stated publicly that if the sentiment favorable to my candidacy, which then existed should continue, I would at the proper time, be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor. According to the information which I

have obtained from different parts of the state, this sentiment has continued, and I have decided to become a candidate.

"I shall make a vigorous, statewide campaign, but it will be a fair campaign and free from personal abuse. The voters are entitled to know my views upon questions pertaining to the administration of the state government, and I shall, from time to time, present and discuss my views upon these questions in my public speeches and in public statements.

"W. H. Stead, of Ottawa, former Attorney General, will have the management of my campaign and headquarters will be opened in Chicago, in

**DOCTOR ANNA BEATRICE SCHULTZ - KNIGHTEN FOUND GUILTY AND CONVICTED OF ABORTION. SHE HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO FOURTEEN YEARS IN THE JOLIET PENITENTIARY.**

The first of this week, a jury in Judge David M. Brothers Court on the North Side, returned a verdict convicting Dr. Anna Beatrice Schultz-Knighten of murder by abortion and she has been sentenced to fourteen years in the Joliet Penitentiary. Her bond was raised after her conviction from \$10,000 to \$20,000 and being unable to induce any one to sign up for that amount of money at this writing she is still resting up in the big gray stone building on the North Side.

She was convicted for performing an illegal operation on Flossie Emerson in 1914 which caused her death.

Dr. Schultz still has many friends who deeply regret that she has gotten herself into her present unpleasant predicament.

**APPOMATTOX DAY CELEBRATED BY THE APPOMATTOX CLUB.**

Monday evening, the Appomattox Club, 3441 S. Wabash avenue, fittingly celebrated Appomattox Day by giving a banquet in the spacious parlors of the club.

Col. John R. Marshall, President of the club very ably and brilliantly presided. Lawyer B. F. Moseley and Dr. Roberts were the principal speakers and their talks were exceedingly interesting.

Monday evening was rather a bad time to hold the affair, for many of the politicians and orators had to retire early that evening and hustle out of bed early Tuesday morning in order to be able to take part in the State wide presidential primaries; so it was impossible for them to be present and join in the festivities on that occasion.

Between sixty and seventy-five of the members of the club and their friends occupied seats around the banquet table.

**C. PORTER JOHNSON DIES WHILE IN ST. LOUIS, MO.**

C. Porter Johnson, formerly a well known figure in Illinois politics and at the Chicago bar, died Thursday in St. Louis. Mr. Johnson was about 50 years old, a native of Vermillion county.

Mr. Johnson served four years in the Illinois state senate during the Altgeld administration. He was elected from the old Second district in 1892 and was redistricted into the Fourth district, embracing the Town of Lake wards. He was elected as a Democrat.

In Springfield, as in Chicago, he received considerable prominence as an orator. Later in Chicago he became an assistant corporation counsel during the Dunne period. He was an advocate of municipal ownership. In St. Louis he became affiliated with the Republican organization.

He was married to a sister of Roy O. West, Republican national committeeman from Illinois. Mr. West went to St. Louis Thursday, called there by Mr. Johnson's death.